

# 3 BRANCHES of GOVERNMENT



## Constitution

(provides a separation of powers)



### Legislative (makes laws)



#### Congress



#### Senate

100 elected senators total;  
2 senators per state



#### House of Representatives

435 elected representatives total; representatives based on each state's population



### Executive (carries out laws)



#### President



#### Vice President



#### Cabinet

Nominated by the president and must be approved by the Senate (with at least 51 votes)



### Judicial (evaluates laws)



#### Supreme Court

9 justices nominated by the president and must be approved by the Senate (with at least 51 votes)



#### Other Federal Courts

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